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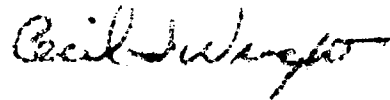
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of Dial U.S.'s Tariff to Add New,)
Lower Rates to Dedicated Inbound Service,)
USWATS IV.) Case No. TT-98-116
)

NOTICE CLOSING CASE

On September 12, 1997, Communications Cable-Laying Company, Inc., d/b/a Dial U.S., submitted a tariff sheet to add new, lower rates to its dedicated inbound service known as USWATS IV. Dial U.S. requested expedited treatment and this case was docketed to address that request. However, upon initial review of the proposed tariff sheet it was discovered that it fails to comply with Section 392.220 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri (1994) which requires at least a 30-day period between the date the tariff is submitted and the effective date. The proposed tariff sheet provided only 19 days. The mere act of filing shall not constitute a waiver of any noncompliance with the Commission's rules and state statutes. See 4 CSR 240-2.080(11). Therefore, this tariff has been rejected and this case may now be closed.

BY THE COMMISSION



Cecil I. Wright
Executive Secretary

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Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 19th day of September, 1997.

ALJ: Roberts